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“Thy word is a *lamp* unto my feet and a *light* unto my path” Psalm 119:105

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Dear Lamplight Family,

We are pleased to share with you the exciting things that God is doing through Lamplight Ministries in many different countries. Praise the Lord. We are grateful to you for your prayers and for your financial support that enables us to help many people around the world.

**COMMENTS FROM PEOPLE WHO HAVE
BEEN HELPED BY OUR PUBLICATIONS**

If you would like to see the effect of your prayers and your contributions, please visit our website at www.lamplight.net to see comments from people in more than 40 different countries who have been helped by our books and Scripture cards. You can order our publications from our website, from our Post Office box or the 800 telephone number at the bottom of this page.

NOTE: We receive testimonies from people in many countries. We very seldom mention the names of people who give us comments. Now or in the future that person might be persecuted because someone saw his or her name online sharing a Christian testimony.

A PASTOR IN KENYA SAID THAT HE WILL TEACH HIS CHURCH MEMBERS VALUABLE LESSONS THAT HE LEARNED FROM READING *REVERENT AWE OF GOD*. This pastor said, “Greetings in the mighty name of our Lord Jesus. Thank you for sending me a free copy of *Reverent Awe of God*. I was surprised to learn your ages when I read this book. You are still relevant in your books. You are changing the destiny of many people globally. I will use this book to teach our church members from the many valuable lessons that I have learned from your book. May God bless you and supply all of your needs.”

AN INMATE IN A FEDERAL PRISON IN FLORIDA SAID THAT HE GAVE UP COMPLETELY WHEN HE CAME TO PRISON BEFORE HIS LIFE WAS TRANSFORMED BY READING *NEVER, NEVER GIVE UP*. This man said, “I am from a broken home. I lived a life of drugs since I was a teenager. I gave up completely when I came to prison. It seemed as if there was no other choice. A friend here told me about your book, *Never, Never Give Up*, in the prison library. I decided to read it. I never finished high school so it took me longer to read this book than other people would take to read the book. How thankful I am to have read your book. I am not giving up. Instead I am giving in to Jesus Christ. I will be released soon. I am looking forward to attending church and hopefully helping others who fell into the same trap that I did. Thank you so much for this inspiring book.”

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A MAN FROM GHANA SAID THAT *HOW TO STUDY THE BIBLE* HELPS HIM TO CONTINUALLY FILL HIS MIND AND HIS HEART WITH GOD'S PRECIOUS PROMISES. This man said, "I thank God that He has enabled you to write the beautiful and easy-to-understand book on how to study the Bible. This book has taught me how to continually fill my mind and heart with God's precious promises. I had the desire to study God's Word more before, but I did not have the knowledge. This book has given me this knowledge. It also has increased my faith in God. Thank you very much for writing this book. I pray that God will supply all of your financial needs so that you can write more."

A WOMAN IN ZIMBABWE SAID THAT SHE HAS LEARNED A LOT FROM *WHAT DOES GOD SAY?* This woman said, "Reading *What Does God Say?* was such a blessing. I have learned a lot from this book. I especially like the portion about doubt and unbelief. These verses of Scripture made me think. This book has helped me to grow spiritually. Thank you for sending it to me."

COMMENTS FROM JACK HARTMAN

I AM COMPLETING THE FINAL DRAFT OF *GLORIOUS ETERNAL LIFE IN HEAVEN*. I then will work diligently on the Study Guide which is a difficult project. We then will do the typesetting. Our goal is to have this book in print by late June or early July.

We believe that this book will help many people, especially older people who are in the final years of their lives. We carefully explain what the Bible teaches about overcoming the fear of death.

We have so much to look forward to in heaven. Every person in heaven enjoys perfect health. There are no sad people in heaven. The Bible teaches that every person in heaven is filled with joy.

Please pray that God will provide the funds to print this book and to distribute free copies to pastors in many Third World countries. The postage cost for sending one book to a foreign county is \$16. We pay approximately \$60 to send a box of 11 books and approximately \$80 to send a box of 15 books.

In addition to the high cost of postage, we have the cost of transcribing six drafts of each book and the cost of printing each book. We also pay Elizabeth to ship these books.

I AM VERY EXCITED ABOUT OUR NEW BOOK THAT WILL BE TITLED *SURRENDER CONTROL OF YOUR LIFE*. I will be 83 years old in July. My energy level has decreased substantially. Nevertheless, I have just completed Draft #1 of this book. At the same time I am writing the book on heaven.

The Bible instructs all Christians to surrender control of their lives to the Holy Spirit. Our theme verse of Scripture that is on the cover of this book says, "...walk and live [habitually] in the [Holy] Spirit [responsive to and controlled and guided by the Spirit]...." (Galatians 5:16 AMP)

If Jesus Christ is your Savior, your life does not belong to you. Your life belongs to Jesus for the immense price that He paid so that you can live eternally in heaven (see Romans 14:7-8).

When the book on heaven is completed, I will work diligently on completing Draft #2 of *Surrender Control of Your Life*. When this draft is completed, Judy will join me in writing Drafts #3 and #4. I then will write Drafts #5 and #6 and the Study Guide. Our goal is to have this book

completed and ready to go to the printer in December of 2014 (if this is the book that we decide will be our second book for 2014).

COMMENTS FROM JUDY HARTMAN

Dear precious Lamplight family,

ARE YOU DISCIPLING SOMEONE YET? WE WILL SEND A FREE BOOK ☺ In order to carry out Jesus' last command to us, we want to participate in your discipleship outreach. Just order a book for yourself then call and let us know that you are discipling someone and we will send that person's book for free (1-800-540-1597 or email: lamp2judy@gmail.com)

A MUSLIM FINDS JESUS CHRIST BY SEEING HIM IN CHRISTIAN BUSINESSMEN. This man wrote, "I was actually trying to get *Trust God for Your Finances* as a cassette. As for how I found out about this book: I was raised Muslim my whole life and at an early age I had developed a spirit of depression and anger that controlled my every thought. I would constantly get into fights and always walked around with a victim mentality."

This man was introduced to a business led by Christians. He said, "I realized that they had something more than financial success. They had purpose. As time went on I began to draw closer to God without realizing it. After about one year around this team, I was at a business conference in Columbus, Ohio, where on Sunday morning they held a non-denominational Christian service. That morning I gave my life to Christ and received Him as my Lord and Savior. I am now married with two beautiful girls and a boy on the way. My family and I have devoted our lives to building God's kingdom through our business ministry. The gentleman who introduced me to the business is now my mentor and spiritual leader. It was he who recommended *Trust God for Your Finances*. I know that if he recommended it, then I can trust its contents. I'm excited to read it and give you feedback on how it blesses me and my family."

YOU CAN ORDER TRUST GOD FOR YOUR FINANCES ON OUR WEBSITE. For anyone wanting to understand God's finances, *Trust God for Your Finances*, is available on our website, www.lamplight.net. The accompanying set of Scripture cards and CD, *Financial Instructions from God*, are available as well. This book is a perfect discipleship tool.

HEAR JACK'S VOICE ON CD. Since Jack no longer teaches in group settings or on recordings, hearing him speak the messages he writes is a grand experience. You will know what I mean if you have ever heard him teach. We spent five years writing ten sets of Scripture cards. Jack made a CD for each of them summarizing them and adding to them as he recorded. They are all available on our website. They make great gifts. You might order some to have on hand when you want to give a gift to someone. These CDs are so easy to pack if you are traveling. I have a box of "gifts to give" that I look in just before I go on a trip.

OUR WEBSITE IS BEING RESTRUCTURED. Ryan Hobus, of Close to Home Omnimedia (www.ctho.com) and our longtime webhost, is completely redoing our website as a gift to Lamplight Ministries, Inc. PLEASE PRAY for Ryan and me as we work together to create a website that draws people to Jesus and into the presence of our Father God in the power of the Holy Spirit. Ryan has the high level of skills to make the website do all the things that need

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to be operating in order for people to find Lamplight Ministries easily on the Internet as they search for the many topics we offer. (If you have any needs in the area of website design, Ryan is an anointed man of God.)

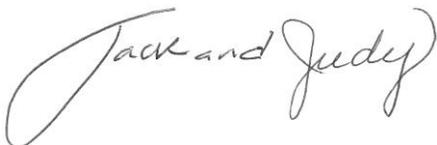
BEGIN PRAYER WITH PRAISE. "Enter His gates with thanksgiving and into His courts with praise," (Psalm 100:4). To help you in your personal prayer time to praise and worship the Lord, see our book, *Effective Prayer*, and our Scripture cards and CD, *A Closer Relationship with the Lord*. "God inhabits the praises of His people," (Psalm 22:3).

PLEASE PRAY FOR US

- MONDAY: For everyone in our Lamplight family which includes every person who has one of our publications;
- TUESDAY: That every Lamplight publication will be used to reach many people for Jesus Christ;
- WEDNESDAY: For Ryan as he creates our new website to reach many more people world-wide on the Internet;
- THURSDAY: For our Lamplight team-Elizabeth, Judy M, Gail, Naomi, and Donna;
- FRIDAY: For Jack and me as we write the newest two books, *Glorious Eternal Life in Heaven* and *Give Your Problems to the Lord*;
- SATURDAY AND SUNDAY: Worship, praise, and thank God. At the very moment God's people began to sing and give praise, the Lord caused the three enemy armies to begin fighting among themselves; victory came to God's people. Here is what they sang: "Give thanks to the Lord, His faithful love endures forever," (II Chronicles 20:21)

We are thankful for "your strong faith in the Lord Jesus and your love for God's people everywhere. We do not stop thanking God for you. We pray for you constantly, asking God, the glorious Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, to give you spiritual wisdom and insight so that you might grow in your knowledge of God. We pray that your heart will be flooded with light so that you can understand the confident hope He has given to those He called – His holy people who are His rich and glorious inheritance. We also pray that you will understand the incredible greatness of God's power for us who believe Him," (Ephesians 1:15-19).

We love you so very much. With you we are blessed to be a blessing (Genesis 12:1-3),



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